

DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE YOUNG GIRL IS SUICIDE

Danville Woman Shoots Self When Parents Oppose Her Marriage. Other State News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DANVILLE, May 15.—Shrouding herself carefully and placing a dampened cloth over her heart, Miss Audrey Watlington, aged 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Watlington, committed suicide at her home near Straightstone by shooting herself. It is stated that opposition by her family to her marriage to a young man in Baltimore caused the act. She left a message addressed to him and a long letter to her mother giving her reasons.

To Explain Volstead Act.
WINCHESTER, May 15.—Representative T. W. Harrison, of the seventh Virginia District, who is being opposed for re-nomination by Colonel Robert F. Leedy, of Page County, stated today that although he was confident of the outcome of the August primary, he intended formally to open his campaign for re-nomination with a speech shortly after the Democratic state convention in Roanoke. Mr. Harrison is the only one to explain clearly many features of the Volstead act, his voting for which has been the subject of criticism by Colonel Leedy.

Richmond Pastors in Speeches.
FREDERICKSBURG, May 15.—The conference at St. George's Episcopal Church here this week, under the auspices of the Interchurch World Movement, was well attended by representatives of the Presbyterian, Episcopal, Methodist, Baptist, Lutheran, and other churches of Spotsylvania, King George, Stafford, and Stafford counties and this city. Rev. W. R. Baker and Philip A. Arthur, of Richmond, were among the speakers.

Leedy Loses Page County.
WINCHESTER, May 15.—Page County Democrats in convention at Luray this afternoon did not endorse Colonel Robert F. Leedy, of that county, who is being opposed by Congressman Thomas W. Harrison, of Winchester, for the nomination from the seventh Virginia District. One of the eight delegates elected to the state convention at Roanoke, six are Leedy men and two favor Harrison's election.

Form Old Clothes League.
BRISTOL, May 15.—An Old Clothes League has been organized by a number of prominent women of Marion, Va., near here. The women joining the club have pledged themselves not to purchase any new clothes during a period of one year, save in a case of absolute necessity.

Captain Beresford Leaves.
WINCHESTER, May 15.—Captain H. L. Beresford, nephew of Lord Beresford, of the British navy, who has been spending several weeks here with Robert L. Gray, Jr., former American consul in Hanover, Germany, sailed this week for South America.

Forest Fire in Mountains.
FREDERICKSBURG, May 15.—The whole of Saddle Back Mountain, in addition county, was on fire this week. It raged two nights and nearly three days before it was under control, and fully 2,000 acres of timberland were burned.

Aged Man Killed by Saw.
LYNCHBURG, May 15.—J. Radford Hobb, 73, while at work yesterday afternoon at a saw mill near Pleasant View, fell into the saw and his left arm was entirely cut off and the left leg nearly severed before the carrier

could be reversed. He died an hour later from shock and the loss of blood. He is survived by eight children, and his father, 102 years of age, whose mother died twenty years ago at the age of 106 years.

Damage Suit Ends.
LYNCHBURG, May 15.—A jury in the \$10,000 damage suit of Kingston McCarron, through his father, F. A. McCarron, against Richard Blankenship, has resulted in a verdict for the defendant. The lad was injured by the motor car belonging to the defendant in February, 1919.

Hamilton High Wins Debate.
FREDERICKSBURG, May 15.—The Hamilton High school debating society has just won a contest with the Cumberland High School. The question debated was, Resolved: That the United States should join the League of Nations, accepting its present constitution without reservations.

CLINIC SERIES FEATURE OF BIG HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Bedford Red Cross and Virginia Association Co-operate in Drive Against Tuberculosis.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BEDFORD, May 15.—With the co-operation of the home service section of the Bedford County Chapter of the Red Cross, through its secretary, Miss Juliet Gish, the Virginia Tuberculosis Association is launching one of its health education campaigns in Bedford County, with plans for diagnostic clinics to be held at Big Island, Forest, Bellevue, Montvale, Rody Camp, Moneta, and Bedford. Dr. Dean R. Cole, medical director of the state association, will conduct the medical features of the program, assisted by Dr. F. G. Anderson, of Roanoke. Dr. Cole will come to Bedford County on Monday, in time for the first of the clinics, which will be held at Big Island.

Miss Mary S. Gammon, field director of the association, has been in the county since the middle of the week making plans for the work, and in company with Miss Gish has visited the sections of the county in which the clinic appointments have been made. The local doctors, the ministers, and public officials of the county are working enthusiastically for the success of the program, which will be accomplished through the churches, the schools, and through the several types of community organizations.

Professor C. M. Abbott, division superintendent of schools, and Professor Sumner Smith, principal of Randolph-Mason Academy, are two of the county leaders who are back of the health education movement.

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ALL WINDY CITY HONORS DEAD "BIG JIM" COLOSIMO

Prominent Citizens of Chicago March in Funeral Cortege of Well-Known Restaurateur.

[By Associated Press.]
CHICAGO, May 15.—Prominent politicians, a judge and leading business men mingled with gunmen and underworld characters who had acknowledged "Big Jim" Colosimo as one of their rulers, in serving as pallbearers at the funeral this morning of the murdered safe proprietor.

A big brass band headed the funeral procession past the famous cafe which bore his name. Word was received here today that his first wife was en route from Los Angeles to Chicago. She has declared that she can throw no light on the mystery surrounding his murder last Tuesday evening in his restaurant.

Four suspects are being held by the police while the search is being conducted for Frank Rizzano, said to have cherished a grudge against Colosimo for a long prison sentence which followed the murder of a friend of Colosimo.

ADVOCATES AERIAL ROUTE FROM AMAZON TO PACIFIC

British Aviator Declares No Difficulty Would Be Encountered in Crossing Andes Range.

[By Associated Press.]
LONDON, May 15.—Establishment of an aerial route from the Pacific to the Amazon as a means of surmounting difficulties of road travel among the Andes, is advocated by G. M. Dwyer, until recently a squadron commander of the British Royal Naval Air Service.

There is no serious difficulty in the way, so far as the scheme's practicability is concerned, Mr. Dwyer told the Royal Geographical Society. We have heard of the great height of the Andes, but there are low altitudes at which they

may be crossed. One of the Andes ridges can be negotiated at a height of 1,000 feet, but there is another rising to 15,000 feet.

"But," he continued, "it is peculiarly suitable for aerial traffic. Aerial highways will undoubtedly play a large part in the future development of that country. It is of importance that rapid communication should be established between the interior and the coast, and in order to do this the airplane must come to the rescue."

Discussing the difficulty of traveling by road, Mr. Dwyer said that it took him five days to travel from one part of the Andes to another, whereas the airplane would cover the distance in about an hour. It took him exactly a week to travel a distance which would be negotiated by the airplane in thirty minutes.

REPORT MANY WAGE GAINS IN TEXTILE INDUSTRIES

Wage Increases Announced Effective at Once in New England Plants.

BOSTON, MASS., May 15.—A wave of wage increase announcements to become effective May 15 rolled in today in New England textile industries indicating the increases would extend to virtually all the 300,000 textile operatives in the district. Wherever the amount of the advance was definitely stated it was 15 per cent. This will bring the level of textile wages, already at the highest stage in history, more than 100 per cent higher than it was four years ago. Approximately \$1,000,000 will be added to the weekly pay rolls of New England mills by the latest raise. It is the sequence of events in connection with previous wage increases holds good in this case, the advance will extend to thousands of employees in other sections also.

WANTS NAMES OF BLUES WHO DIED IN WAR SERVICE

Unveiling of Memorial Tablet to These Men Probably Will Take Place in September.

Mrs. George L. Christian, Jr., chairman of the committee to erect a memorial tablet in memory of the members of the Richmond Light Infantry Blues who died while in service, wants the names of all Blues who were killed during the war, either while with the Blues, or who were formerly Blues and who were serving with other organizations when killed. Although no definite date has been set for the erection of the tablet, it is expected that the work will be completed and the ceremonies performed some time in September. The list of names, it is planned, is to be complete from the time the boys went into service until mustered out of active service.

The committee has the following names of men killed in service: R. Nicholas Parsons, William R. K. Taylor, Arthur E. Grainger, Ernest G. Buchanan, Otto Minner, Edmund G. Dobbis, Oran H. Milliken, Wilfred Thompson, Benjamin G. Wright, Orville C. Baker, Stuart W. Pierce, Francis

French, Henry Gooch, William T. Meade, Frank D. Cutchins, Leslie D. Newton, Hyron F. Reiss, James H. Drake, Jr., Harold F. Unbehauen, William E. Word, Jr., Robert E. Crane, Wellington D. Decker, John W. Quarles, Ralph L. Hughes, Benjamin D. Clapp, John P. Parrott, and Schneider, first name unknown. Mrs. Christian will appreciate any additional names to be added to this list.

OF BELOVED COLONEL Loyalty of Men to Commanding Officer Does Not Stop With Death and End of War.

[By Universal Service.]
DANVILLE, ILL., May 15.—After serving throughout the war, Colonel Curtis G. Redden, commander of Battery A, One Hundred and Forty-ninth Field Artillery, died in France of pneumonia, leaving a widow and three small children.

A number of the men of the outfit, back home again, decided to prove their loyalty toward their "C. O." did not end with his death. So they nominated Guy Kitchin, one of their comrades, who took part in eleven battles, on the Republican ticket for town clerk. Kitchin was elected and the day

after his election, an prearranged, resigned and turned the office over to Mrs. Redden, so she might support herself and the children.

NAVY-YARD EMPLOYEES ASK 40 PER CENT RAISE

All Civil Service Workers on Government Payroll Adopt Resolution for Increase.

[By Associated Press.]
NEW YORK, May 15.—A resolution requesting the Navy Department to

grant a 40 per cent wage increase to clerical, drafting, inspection, water stock-room, store-room and messenger forces were adopted today at the closing session of the tenth annual convention of the National Association of United States Civil Service Employees in all navy yards. These officers were elected: President, Franklin de Witt Armour, Brooklyn; vice-president, Irving Coulter, Pennsylvania; secretary, H. Newton Nieblin, Brooklyn; treasurer, H. Bacon, Philadelphia.

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Generals Cronkhite and McAlexander
*They Will Speak at the City Auditorium
This Afternoon at 3 O'Clock*

at a mass-meeting which will open the 1920 Salvation Army Maintenance Fund Appeal in Richmond. General Cronkhite commanded Virginia's own division—the 80th—and General McAlexander the 38th Infantry, which earned the title of the "Rock of the Marne," for its stand against the Germans in July, 1918, when the Huns were sweeping everything before them. These speakers have stirring tales to relate.

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